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Township official's caring, humor honored at conference

For Grant Township Supervisor Carol Flint, caring about people goes hand-in-hand with a sense of humor.

The social workers division of Township Officials of Illinois recognize that and recently recognized Flint for those attributes.

Flint received a special service award while at the Township Officials of Illinois' annual educational conference, Nov. 9-11.

The plaque honors Flint for her "caring ways," and "wonderful sense of humor."

"I was shocked and pleased," Flint said of her award. "It was really, really unexpected and very, very nice."

Flint attended the conference with township road commissioner Jim Crouch, assessor Susan Sheppard and trustees Connie Wilson and Steve Willard.

The conference focused on new laws affecting township government, new developments in administrating the General Assistance program and other topics.

Illinois treasurer Judy Baar Topinka was the keynote

Briefly

Music Booster winners

Winners in the Hoopeston Area Music Booster drawing are: Nov. 17, Coffee Cup, Hoopeston; Nov. 18, Suzanne Lawson, Hoopeston; Nov. 19, Ron Schwartz, Hoopeston; Nov. 20, Hoopeston Junior Women's Club; Nov. 21, McMurray Insurance, Hoopeston.

Multi Agency van schedule

This week's van schedule for the Hoopeston Multi Agency transportation project is: Monday, Hoopeston shuttle; Tuesday, Rossville shuttle; Wednesday Danville; Thursday, Hoopeston shuttle; Friday, Danville.

For more information or to arrange a ride, call the Multi Agency at (217) 283-5544.

Activities at the center this week include: Monday, ladies bridge noon; Thursday, ladies euchre 8 a.m., men's coffee 9:30 a.m. men's euchre 12:30 p.m.; Friday, unemployed discount program 1-3 p.m.

Coats, shoes needed

The Hoopeston Multi Agency needs coats and shoes for area disadvantaged children. Items may be taken to

the agency, 206 S. First Ave., between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday-Friday.

Yuletide dinner

The Rossville-Alvin High School Student Council invites all senior citizens from the school district to be their guests at a Yuletide Dinner on Dec. 9 in the high school gym.

The event will begin at 11 a.m. with season music, followed by the dinner at noon.

For reservations, call Mary Jo at the high school, 748-6600, by Friday, Dec. 5.

The student council hosts this annual event to show appreciation for the senior members of the community and their support of the schools.

Meetings

The Rossville-Alvin school board will meet in special session at 7 p.m. Monday in the high school library.

The Rossville village board will meet at 7 p.m. Monday at the village office.

The Hoopeston city council will meet at 7 p.m.

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Speakers reported stolen from a vehicle at 810 E. Seminary were returned to the owner Friday.

Police are investigating a hit-and-run accident reported at 4 p.m. Friday.

Lavina L. Baker, 643 E. Thompson, told police an unknown vehicle hit her 1987 Chevrolet while it was parked at the Hoopeston Area High School parking lot.

No tickets or injuries were reported in an accident at 5:32 p.m. Friday at 101 W. Main.

Police said Junior W. Savage, 516 N. Tenth Ave., was backing up his 1983 Chevrolet while Philip E. Kremetz, 811 Jasper, Joliet, was making a U-turn when the two collided.

Jorge Casillas, 28, of 709 N. Seventh St., was arrested at 11:56 p.m. Saturday, charged with criminal damage to property after police said he kicked in an apartment door at his address.

Casillas was released on a notice to appear.

Cindy Glenn, 313 E. McCracken, reported Saturday that someone stabbed the left rear tire of her 1984 Chevrolet while it was parked at her home.

Wendy L. Thompson, 33, of 301 N. Eighth Ave., was ticketed for failure to yield after stopping at an intersection following an accident at 9:23 a.m. Saturday.

Police said Thompson stopped at West Penn and South Sixth, then drove her 1993 Ford into the

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intersection, striking a 1992 Ford driven by Roberto Martinez, 715 N. Third St.

An unidentified passenger in Thompson's vehicle was taken to Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital for treatment.

Amy J. Nosler, 809 E. Honeywell, reported Saturday that someone opened the locked glove compartment of her 1991 Nissan and took money from her wallet.

The car was parked at 301 E. Lincoln when the burglary occurred.

Two 19-year-olds were arrested at 9:50 p.m. Saturday following a traffic stop in the 400 block of East Seminary.

Police charged Jodi G. Wells, of 846 E. Seminary, with driving under the influence, driving on revocation and improper lane usage.

Also arrested was Samuel Montoya of #13, Hunt's Trailer Court. He was charged with possession of under 2.5 grams of cannabis and illegal consumption of alcohol by a minor.

Wells was taken to the Public Safety Building, Danville, while Montoya was released on a notice to appear in court.

Tina Burhmester of the Hoopeston Coin Laundry, 209 S. First Ave., reported Sunday that someone ransacked the business. Burhmester told police the

telephone wire had been cut, someone had tried to burn papers in the building and a desk was broken into and cash taken.

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Obituaries

DeVORE - Laura H. DeVore, 94, of Hoopeston, died at 10:50 a.m. Saturday, Nov. 15, 1997, at Hoopeston Community Nursing Home. Services will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at the Brown-Alkire Funeral Home. Burial will be in Floral Hill Cemetery. Visitation is one hour before

services at the funeral home.

THOMAS - Verda Thomas, 93, of Rossville, died at 12:40 a.m. Thursday, Nov. 13, 1997, at Hoopeston Community Health Care Center. Services were Saturday at the Rossville Church of Christ. Burial was in Rossville Cemetery. Visitation was Friday at the Wolfe Funeral Home. Memorials are suggested to Pleasant Meadows Christian Village, the Rossville Church of Christ or Hoopeston Community Health Care Center.

Court Dispositions



Nov. 6: Marcy Dalton, Danville, deceptive practice; summons issued.

Jennifer Downing, Hoopeston, leash law, pleaded guilty; \$45 total.

Karen Hagele, Milford, cruelty prohibited, pleaded not guilty; bench trial Jan. 8, 1998.

Weather



Mostly sunny, warmer today. High 42. Tonight, fair. Low 23. Tomorrow, partly sunny. High near 45, low near 25.

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